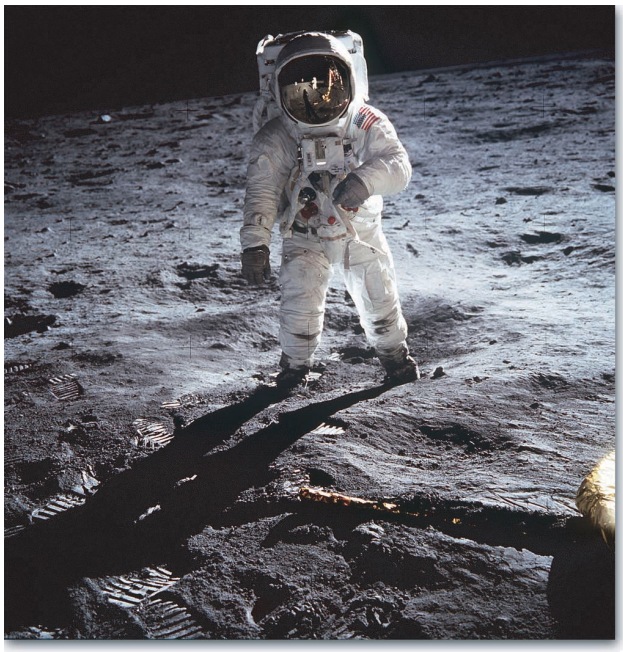
The Space Place New Millennium Calendar



Astronaut Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin walks on the lunar surface during the Apollo 11 mission. You can find this and many more historical images at The Space Place. http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/teachers_images.htm

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
The third week is **Space Week**. Visit The Space Place Web site and enjoy wonderful space facts and activities!		1 **Launch of Explorer 1,** 1958. Explore how space technology has evolved since Explorer 1.	2 **National Literacy Day**. Be a cosmic poet!	3 **Quiz Day**. Take a binary quiz on The Space Place.	4 **Aphelion**: today Earth is farthest from the Sun. **Mars Pathfinder lands on Mars,** 1997. Blast off on a Mars adventure! **U.S. Independence Day**	5
6	FIRST QUARTER 7 **First solar-powered plane** flies across the English Channel, 1981. Check out Helios, the solar-powered high flyer!	8 **Video Games Day**. Find out how long your hand-held electronic game would last if you had ST5's amazing batteries.	9 **Voyager 2** discovers three moons around Jupiter, 1979. Find out how the gravity of Jupiter and its other large moons affect Io.	10	11	12
FULL MOON 13	14	15	16 **Launch of Apollo 11,** 1969. Find out what protected the Apollo astronauts from meteoroids while they were on the Moon.	17	18	19
20 **Moon Day**. Neil Armstrong is the first human to walk on the Moon, 1969. Make yummy moon cookies!	LAST QUARTER 21 **Galileo is condemned** in 1633 for saying Earth orbits the Sun. See how space engineers use this truth to navigate the solar system.	22	23 **Ice cream cone invented**, 1904. Go to The Space Place and make a sound cone for super hearing.	24	25	26
27	28 **Potatoes first introduced to Europe**, 1586. Make asteroid potatoes!	NEW MOON 29 **NASA established**, 1958. At The Space Place you can see some great historical images of rockets, space shuttles, and more.	30	31		

July 1: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/teachers/tech_history.pdf
July 2: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/teachers/cosmic_poetry_web.pdf
July 3: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/vgr_fact1.htm
July 4: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/mars_rocket.htm
July 7: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/helios_fact1.htm
July 8: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/st5_bats.htm
July 9: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/gll_io_fact.htm
July 16: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/phonedrmarc/oct2002.html
July 20: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/moon_cookies.htm
July 21: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/ds1_mgr.htm
July 23: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/tmodact.htm
July 28: http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/ds1_ast.htm
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